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The resentment of all Americans is expressed, but not in such manner that the doors of negotiations are closed should Germany desire to reply and give solemn assurance that such affairs as that of the Lusitania would not occur again, and Germany is called upon to admit that the Lusitania affair or methods involving the slaughter of neutral Americans and women and children wrong. It is not known whether the note will be announced before it reaches Berlin.

It is believed that it will reply to Germany's contention that submarine

is necessary on account of the British attempt to starve Germany,

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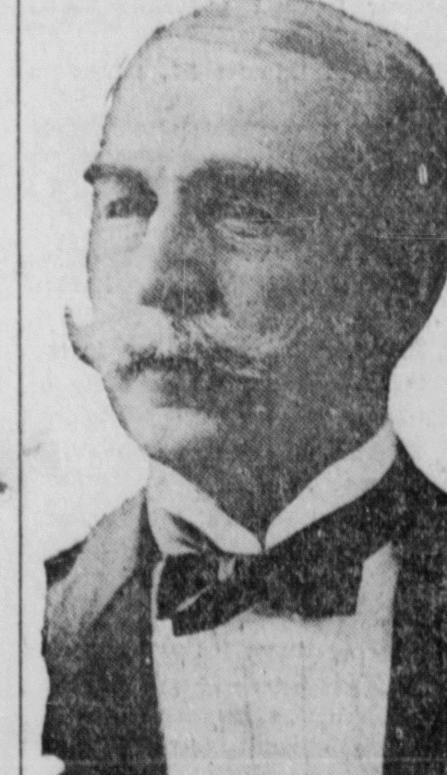
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Chief Officer Smith further says that shortly before the submarine was sighted two British patrol boats, the Iago and Flyer, took positions on either side of the Gulfflight and ordered it to follow them to the Bishop lighthouse.

"I personally observed our flag was standing out well to the breeze," the officer stated.

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Collector of Boston Port to Protect German Ships.

Boston, May 12.—Customs guards on the German steamer that sought refuge here at the outbreak of the war were doubled by order of Edmund Billings, collector of the port.

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Mr. Roosevelt was particularly interested in that part of the president's speech in which the latter referred to "such a thing as a man being too proud to fight," and a nation being so right that it does not need to convince others by force that it is right."

"I think that China is entitled to draw all the comfort she can from this stall," said Mr. Roosevelt, "and it would be well for the United States to ponder seriously what the effect upon China has been of managing her foreign affairs during the past fifteen years on the theory thus enunciated. If the United States is satisfied with this idea some time in the future she will occupy the position that China now occupies. Then the United States can afford to act on this theory. But it cannot act on this theory if it desires to retain or regain the position won for it under Washington and the men who, in the days of Abraham Lincoln, wore the blue under Grant and the gray under Lee."

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To the civilized mind the motives to murder, shocking enough, to be sure, nor wanting an aspect of grawsome humor, are upon occasion incredible. As they are matters of record, however, disclosed on painstaking investigation, they are to be accepted, not as irresponsible tales, such as wander about the eastern seas, but as substantial facts, however singular and incomprehensible they may appear.

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Candle shades may be made in the same way, and bits of all over lace may be used for a covering instead of the muslin.

NEW FABRICS.

The vogue of the ruffled dress has turned the tide of the popular embroidered voiles, and instead of the heavy bordered fabrics of other years there are daintier patterns of flowers in silk or cotton scattered not too closely over white or delicately colored grounds and as quaint as the blooms from an old fashioned nosegay.

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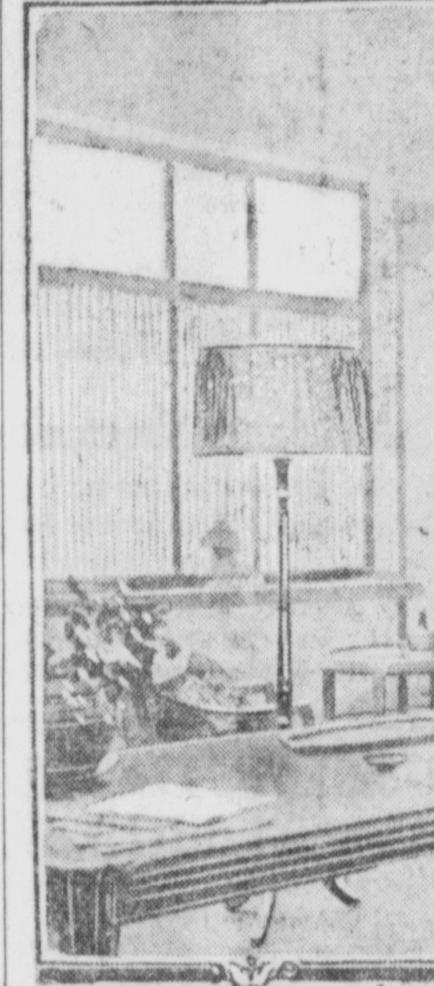
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Mrs. Henry I. Cohen and Mrs. D. A. Haggard, past president and president of the Brainerd Musical club, went to Little Falls this afternoon to attend the sixth district convention of women's clubs.

Ladies Aid Meeting

The ladies aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will be entertained on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Mrs. John Finne, 1324 Norwood street. Visitors are welcome.

Willing Workers Banquet

The Willing Workers of the Evangelical church of Northeast Brainerd gave a banquet to the "I'll Try" class for winning the contest in the Sunday school. The girls said the boys were fine entertainers and all had an enjoyable time. The boys wore caps and aprons and served a five course banquet.

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COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners, Meeting Held

May 4th, 1915

Pursuant to adjournment the board met at the court house on May 4th, 1915, at ten o'clock A. M. All members present.

The minutes of the meeting of April 6th, 1915, were read and duly approved.

Members of the town board of Wolford appeared before the commissioners and reported on the condition of the bridge over the Mississippi river north of that town. It was moved and seconded that the district engineer be instructed to inspect said bridge and prepare plans and specifications for the repair thereof, and the auditor to advertise for bids on same to be opened at the June 1st meeting of the board. Motion carried.

A communication was received from the members of the village council of Jenkins asking for an appropriation of \$200 to be used on the county road running north through that village. Upon motion the matter was referred to the county attorney for advice as to whether the county could appropriate monies for such purpose.

A petition signed by A. D. Polk et al was received for the establishing of a county road beginning at the corner of sections 5, 6, 7 and 8, Twp. 133, Rge. 28 and running thence north on the section lines and terminating at the intersection of the Gull lake road. Upon motion the petition was accepted and a hearing ordered on same for Monday the 12th day of July, 1915, at two o'clock P. M., and all members of the board were appointed a committee to meet at the southwest corner of section 5, Twp. 133, Rge. 28 on the 29th day of May 1915, at two o'clock P. M. to examine the route of said road.

An application from the supervisors of the town of Little Pine for an appropriation of \$500 to go towards the building of a bridge and approaches across the Little Pine river in section 11 of that town. Upon motion the matter was referred to the district engineer for investigation.

An application from the supervisors of the town of Pelican was received asking for an appropriation of \$250 to aid said town in building roads. Motion made and seconded that \$150 be appropriated. Motion carried.

An application was received from the town board of the town of Bay Lake for an appropriation of \$200 to be expended on the county roads in sections 2, 3 and 9 in that town. Motion made and seconded that \$100 be appropriated for that purpose. Motion carried.

H. J. Stark, representing the town of Little Pine, addressed the board in regard to having an examination of their town by public examiner.

The board were of the opinion that the state of affairs were not serious enough to warrant such an examination, and no action was taken in the matter.

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Citizens of the village of Pequot appeared before the board asking for an appropriation of \$500 towards the expenses of the county fair held in that village. Motion made and seconded that \$500 be appropriated for this purpose and the treasurer of the association to give proper bond. Motion carried.

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WOMAN'S REALM

PERSONAL MENTION

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Mrs. M. E. Woods, of New York, is at "Murphy's, the Store of Quality," where she is taking subscriptions to "The Delineator" magazine for a few days, at 75¢ a year.

Mrs. Henry I. Cohen and Mrs. D. A. Haggard, past president and president of the Brainerd Musical club, went to Little Falls this afternoon to attend the sixth district convention of women's clubs.

Ladies Aid Meeting

The ladies aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will be entertained on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Mrs. John Flinne, 1324 Norwood street. Visitors are welcome.

Willing Workers Banquet

The Willing Workers of the Evangelical church of Northeast Brainerd gave a banquet to the "I'll Try" class for winning the contest in the Sunday school. The girls said the boys were fine entertainers and all had an enjoyable time. The boys wore caps and aprons and served a five course banquet.

Corrections

She—A man's wife should be very dear to him. He—Dear, but not expensive.



PRETTY BATHING SUIT.

Black satin is used almost more than any other material for this season's bathing suits. The one shown here is lent distinction and a dash of style by a girdle of cream silk dotted with crimson dots.

You can't prevent an attack of rheumatism from coming on, but you can stop it almost immediately. Sloan's Liniment gently applied to the sore joint or muscle penetrates in a few minutes to the inflamed spot that causes the pain. It soothes the hot, tender, swollen feeling, and in a very short time brings a relief that is almost unbelievable until you experience it. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25c. of any druggist and have it in the house—against colds, sore and swollen joints, tumbago, sciatica and like ailments.

Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief.—ts.

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The Jell-O Demonstration

Perhaps you have used Jell-O for years but you may be able to learn some new ways of using this dainty dessert if you will see the demonstration now being conducted at our store.

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If we could show you how to do your weekly washing for less than five cents; without any hand rubbing or worry, wouldn't it interest you. Come and let us demonstrate a Laundry Queen Washing machine. Our free trial will convince you that it is just what you have been looking for.

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COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners, Meeting Held May 4th, 1915

Pursuant to adjournment the board met at the court house on May 4th, 1915, at ten o'clock A. M. All members present.

The minutes of the meeting of April 6th, 1915, were read and duly approved.

Members of the town board of Woldford appeared before the commissioners and reported on the condition of the bridge over the Mississippi river north of that town. It was moved and seconded that the district engineer be instructed to inspect said bridge and prepare plans and specifications for the repair thereof, and the auditor to advertise for bids on same to be opened at the June 1st meeting of the board. Motion carried.

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Motion made and seconded that the Auditor be instructed to advertise for bids for twenty-four 12x24 state standard corrugated galvanized iron culverts to be opened at the June 1st meeting of the board, at two o'clock P. M. Motion carried.

A petition was received from the town board of the town of Little Pine for an appropriation of \$500 to go towards the building of a bridge and approaches across the Little Pine river in section 11 of that town. Upon motion the matter was referred to the district engineer for investigation.

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The following bids were received on bridge No. 1717:

Slab Span Beam span	
F. A. Glass	\$1450
Johnson & Peterson	1010
Hewett Bridge Co.	1625
Mpls. Bridge Co.	1450
III. Steel Bridge Co.	1675
Continental Bridge Co.	1598
C. R. Watson	1050

State highway bridge No. 1728:

F. A. Glass	\$1690
Johnson & Peterson	1250
Hewett Bridge Co.	1670
Mpls. Bridge Co.	1575
III. Steel Bridge Co.	1725
Continental Bridge Co.	1698
C. R. Watson	1250

Motion made and seconded that the bids of Johnson & Peterson on bridge No. 1717, concrete slab span, and on bridge No. 1728 be accepted, and the county attorney to draw up the proper contracts. Motion carried.

No bids were considered for the re-decking with concrete blocks of the Laurel street bridge and the old M. & I. bridge north of the dam on account of the plans and specifications not properly covering the repairs called for, and the auditor was instructed to re-advertise for bids to be opened at the June 1st meeting of the board, at two o'clock P. M.

Bids were opened for construction of state road No. 6 in sections 2 and 3, Twp. 46, Rge. 28 from stations 105 and 156 inclusive. The following bids were received:

F. A. Glass	\$10,600.00
Fred Reid	7,490.00
John Gilmer	7,500.00
L. A. Baumgartner Co.	9,500.72
S. J. Groves & Son	7082.64
Peter I. Moe	5,495.00

It was moved and seconded that the contract be awarded to Peter I. Moe, and the county attorney be instructed to draw up the proper contract. Motion carried.

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A motion was made that all bills against the county should be presented within five days of the date of the meeting, to enable such bills to be properly paid and approved by the county attorney.

The following bills were allowed:

W. S. Benson, posting notices election	\$ 1.50
Harvey Britton, posting election notices	1.50
D. C. Henderson, posting election notices	75
Nellie Hazen, assisting Co. Supt. of schools	3.00
Irma C. Hartley, expenses Supt. of schools	13.37
P. D. Kreft, Gen. El. returns	1.40
Gust Olander, Gen. El. returns	1.80
Olson Skau, 6 split log drags	12.00
M. B. Burke, blacksmith work	18.60
Aden Machine Co., repairs	27.88
Lewis E. Garrison, expenses paid	77
J. D. Adams & Co., repairs to parts of grader	1.00
Russell Grader Co., repairs to parts of grader	2.00
Dower Lbr. Co., lumber for bridge	1.60
W. F. Wolford, repairs for bridge	10.00
R. Wolford, repairs for bridge	7.50
Robert Peterson, spring water court house	6.00
R. A. Beise, jail county prisoners	4.00
W. & L. board, current and water court house and jail	37.62
John Bros. & Haasberg, clothes for prisoners	1.00
Winnor-Adams Co., lumber Laurel street bridge	4.19
Rosko Bros., repairs to tractor	14.25
D. M. Clark & Co., Misc. Matl.	21.19
D. M. Clark & Co., material for court house	18.73
W. A. M. Johnston, services auditing board	5.85
J. A. Erickson, services and auditing board	2.85
C. W. Mahlum, services auditing board, etc.	4.54
Neil O'Brien, deputy coroner's fees	5.80
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N. W. Tel. Ex. Co., telephone court house	17.50
Ed. Crust, committee work and mileage	4.20
J. A. Oberg, committee work and mileage	7.80
H. V. Flansberg, committee work and mileage	7.00

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If it is true, as claimed, that many persons owning automobiles do not pay taxes on their machines because they are not listed with the assessor it would seem that the law is lax in not providing some information to each assessor from the office of the secretary of state, which office has a list of every person receiving a license to run a machine, before May 1st of each year.

The Dispatch extends congratulations to A. G. Rutledge and his bride, "Duc" is secretary of the Northern Minnesota Editorial Association and has been identified with the press of the state for many years. He is now in the employ of the state in the weighing department, with headquarters at Minneapolis. The wedding occurred May 6th, the bride's name being Miss May A. Knappen.

Honor to the memory of Alfred G. Vanderbilt. He was one of the world's wealthiest men, and had everything to make life attractive. When the Lusitania was struck he secured a life belt for himself. A young woman on the boat could not find one, and young Vanderbilt took his off and gave it to her, and this act of gallantry cost him his life. He was a real man under the most severe test, a hero and a gentleman.—St. Cloud Journal-Press.

UNOFFICIAL REPORT CURRENT
ATLANTIC FLEET TRIP IS OFF

(By United Press)

Washington, May 12—An official report is current that the Atlantic fleet trip through the Panama Canal has been definitely abandoned, but there is no confirmation of it. Coal has not been sent to any point where the fleet would cruise.

NO REPORT FROM ITALY
ON DECLARATION OF WAR

(By United Press)

Washington, (May 12)—The state department had received no word that Italy had declared war up to 11 o'clock. The Italian-Austrian and German embassies report that they had received no word.

SOCIALIST GROUP
OPPOSED TO WAR

(By United Press)

Rome, May 12—The socialist group in parliament have announced their intention to oppose the entrance of Italy into war, and if war is declared they will work for peace.

RUSSIAN BLACK SEA FLEET
SINKS THREE TURK SHIPS

(By United Press)

Petrograd, May 12—Dispatches from Sebastopol says that Russians Black Sea fleet have sunk three large Turkish ships near Sevigli.

UNABLE TO SURVIVE SHOCK

(By United Press)

Duluth, May 12—Mrs. A. Baker, mother of Millie Baker, the noted opera singer, is unable to withstand the shock of her daughter's death on the Lusitania. After four days of anxious waiting she has given up hope that her daughter is alive. She became seriously ill on receipt of the news of the disaster.

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A Seventy-Year-Old Couple

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Carpenter, Harrison, Pa., suffered from kidney trouble for many years but have been entirely cured by Foley Kidney Pills. He says: "Although we are both in the seventies we are as vigorous as we were thirty years ago." Foley Kidney Pills stop sleep disturbing bladder weakness, backache, rheumatism and aching joints. For sale by H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Advt. mwf

IN FEVER
SOAKED SERBIA

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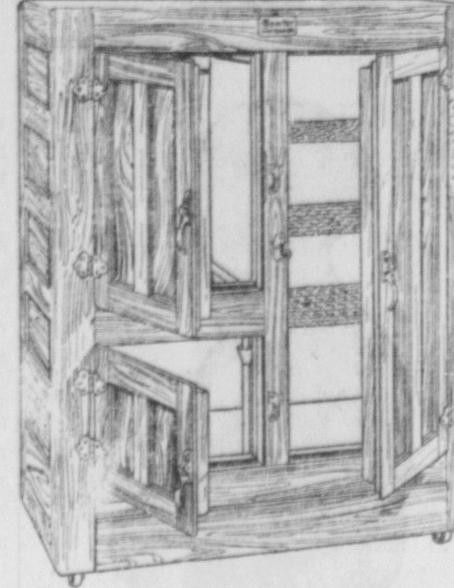
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ON DECLARATION OF WAR

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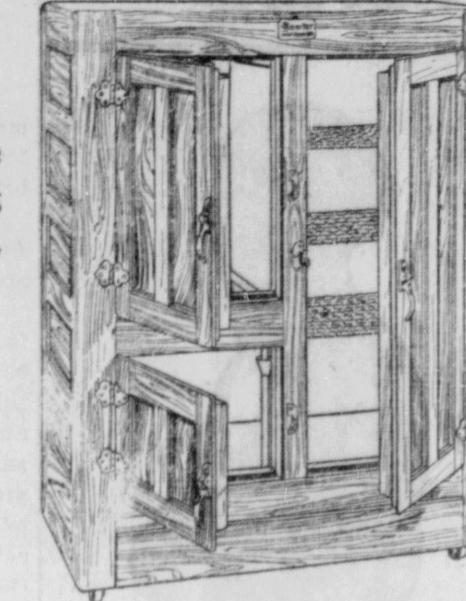
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It is well known that President Wilson believes that the liquor question should be left to the states. Secretary Bryan believes that ultimately it will become a national issue. If it were not for the position of his chief he would make it a national issue now.

May Split Parties.

The liquor question has been a party wrecker in some states, and it may split parties in the future in contests

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The idea that Justice Hughes will make the best candidate the Republicans could name is one which can't be suppressed. Every little while some disinterested man—disinterested, so far as the personality of candidates is concerned—will come along and say that Hughes will make the best candidate for the Republicans, even though the justice has stated emphatically that he will not allow his name to be considered and will not accept the nomination.

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It Made One Smile.

Henry M. Goldfogel, former congressman from New York city, who was beaten by the Socialist, Meyer London, is nothing if not intense. In the house his intensity was often dramatic. Goldfogel came over to Washington a short time ago and talked about politics. During the discussion he saw bright things ahead for New York Democracy, which was all right. Then he went on to say that the Barnes-Roosevelt trial would hurt the Republican party, as it disclosed the fact that "the Republican party all along has been saturated with bossism."

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BRITISH OFFICIAL OPINION

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